

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Furlan et al.  
Application No.: 10/584,651  
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Title: Preparation of R-5-(2-(2-Ethoxyphenoxyethylamino)-2-Methoxybenzen-  
Sulphonamide Hydrochloride of High Chemical  
Examiner: Cho, Jennifer Y  
Group Art Unit: 1621

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JULY 9, 2008

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 9, 2008, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.